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GRAND OPERA IN EUROPE.

Not So Much Money in Music There as in Great Britain and America.

London and New York are practically the only important cities in which pera pays its way. On the continent of Europe, although most opera houses are smoodlized the maney comes from the privy purse of the anvereign, and not from the national or municipal funds or rates. In Vienna the opera house, which cost £500,000 to build, is supported personally tand at a rumor-si cost of about \$70,000 a year, although no official figures are availables by the emperor, who also gives nearly figure a year to the opera house a Bada Isorfa And section Inq . lal Opera company of Vienna is not to be pared with that at Covent Garden At Marrich the reseme of Havaria discussing of \$12.500 a year out of t Wit per let beneden experime any defi-As Wantembers the king pays the a year: By Bertli, the subside of Cal-NOTES A STATE OF THE PROPERTY Y which, too be manarch and the opera may indeof main white a court

Apart from remblers France, only in the smaller countries, such as Belglum, Denmurti, Ervic Spain, Swedand Switzerland are the opera house unionnia paid are comparatively small in Nicoway the subsidy the very in fling one of \$1 lot for both opera and drama to poid by the municipality And it is the same in Italy, although the land of some needs consequalized little subvention, for the populace are practically all operagoers. There has been no substilly at all necessary at Mome three 1898

In France subsidies are an old enstom, although they have not been provocative of enterprise For example, at the Paris grand opera the manager receives a yearly subvention of C32 non Yet the reportery is wretchedly

WHY JAPAN WANTS COREA.

In Need of Domain for the Accommodation of Superabundant Population.

The cuttivated area of Japan comprises a district equal to only about one-Japan is adapted poothe cultivation of

The following is the record of a gase ine tractor used in England for draw

ing agricultural machines: Six acre-

three acres of arms out in one hour and

with hard surface plowed to an average

to minutes, using a double-furrow plow

and consuming 7% cattons of gasoline

19 acres of wheat harvested in ten hours

of the machine is said to be \$1.590.

Where have you been, Jane?"

islar 8 gallons of garoline. The cos

Said Maid to Mistress.

"I've been to a meeting of the Giris

"Well, and what did the lady say p

"Please, ma'am, she said I wasn't to

said I was to look up-you as my thorn-

Diamond Polishers.

Of the diamond pelishers in Amster

They look on this occupation as one on

few can keep at the finer grade afte

their fortieth year; thereafter they ex-

viding \$50,000 among his rela-

Vanderbilts has abandoned his ma-

chine, which is one of the finest

made and broke the world's rec-

pect their children to support them.

Friendly Society, ma'am," was the

, two and one wath acres of lane

said a recent traveler in interest, informs us that at his torm a curtain behind. Another lovely conflict with the new rand Europe. International ambitions contront her a namer has that become If she develope

national programme B is not improbnear future the most conspicuous power of the Pacific, not even excepting the United States. From "The Two Pa-office" by Harold Bules, in the Book-Auto for Farm Work.

the main span is in tact.

span of the steel bridge washed old pink. Touches of this are lovely.

The old iron bridge over Big

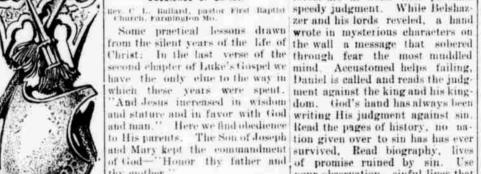
flood the St. Francois.

which they have a traditional claim. gullies being washed through it.

and a special term of the County to each of three women who were steps towards making repairs.

WITHOUT MAIL TWO DAYS.

Washouts on the Iron Mountain The physicians have decided that railroad stopped traffic on the Belfast automobiling causes heart dis- mont branch, and no mails from ease. For this reason one of the the north reached us until Sunday, contents may be easily removed from when the papers of that day and the tin .- Farm and Home. mail leaving St. Louis Sunday A Colorado fruit grower claims pare to meet it.



We are now showing a complete line of all the latest styles and patterns in White and Fancy Vests.

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It Pours Down for 24 Hours County | Between Loughboro and Ba-Bridges Badly Damaged and Many Fields Badly Washed.

rain, and for 21 hours continuously the water fell, at times in perfect hird the size of the state of Himois, torrents. It was the brayiest rain In fact only 15 per sent of the area of remembered here, the precipitation their annual ersons. Vet they conduct being from 7 s, to 10 methes. Mr. their farming with such industry and T. B. Chandler, living a few miles as systematically measured, but on the bast with a jewel-

this showing it is estimated that less than 10 inches for the twenty-

BRIDGES DESTROYED AND DAMAGED than it was ever known. The Iron was readjusted on Sunday.

The gravel road bed just beyond

It will cost the county somewhere

morning came in via the M. R. & to have devoloped a seedless apple.

coute Monday.

estimated that it will take about STREAMS HIGHER THAN EVER KNOWN gar carlonds of rock and dirt to re-

Last Thursday night it began to THE NEWEST HAT MODELS.

Novelties for Spring Wear Are Attractive in New Shades and Trimmings.

increasing at the rate of over regular record of all rainfalls as The hat are very large and their wide well as of many other matters of a hear with the tolds of

the area of tilling and you can form par eight mehes in depth was placed of white crin, embroidered with cream straw. The entire brim is draped with given by Belshazzar to a thousand pany of men very heroes in sime places. out in his vard. Friday morning, a deep are founce the founce tarely of his lords. The New Testament ple goodness-who will transport and in the evening it was full of coming over the hat brim in front, but feast, that instituted by Christ be you to heights of optimism and water, showing a precipitation back There is a cache peigne behind Lord's Supper. His betrayal, known as the hopefulness. of eight inches in about twelve of tiny white rosen and the crown of the hours. The rain was heavier dur- hat is trimmed with a band of whiteing the day than at night, but from rises, with a fringe of small green buds

The hats seem either to droop or to the precipitation in town was not jurn up, with an exaggerated sweep on roses, holding a long white scarf, which about the throat. The three-cornered shape will be worn again in the spring Mountain rathroad bridge over this its severity is sometimes softened by a stream was moved out of line, but ribbon rosette on one side holding a falling bunch of flowers.

Wolf ereck were washed away, but used for biouses, three squares for one blouse being the usual rule.

Among the new colors there are a lot over Big River at the George ford bers that are particularly attractive in down, hanging to the western and lovely bunches of illacs are springlike, The western abutment of the show the first faint tinge of purple. Most of the white flowers show a lot of green bridge at the Pigg ford is gone, a about them. The modish color is the

Victoria Chicken.

to His ways and will.

One-third cup of butter, put in the pan in channg dish; when it melts stir river just above Tyler's mill, built in one-half cup of flour. This forms twenty years ago, is entirely down, a paste. Next add one and one-half pour boiling water over an onion and lon were the strong walls and oth- Sin of the world! the bridge over the St. Francois of lowl cut quite fine, one can of river was almost swept away, great peas, strained from the liquor. Serve on hot toast.-Chicago Tribune.

Nice Breakfast Dish.

companies this dish. Flour Instead of Lard.

and man." Here we find obedience Read the pages of history, no naterness in search of a preacher. Still to His parents. The Son of Joseph tion given over to sin has has ever he do not overestimate himself and Mary kept the commandment survived. Read biography, lives for when he saw Jesus he said, of God— Honor thy father and of promise ruined by sin. Use must decrease, He must increase It is the duty of every child to surround you show His judgment. ness! Does not such a man put in oner its parents. The command In yuor own experience, not once to shame? Who of us is willing to contains a promise, "That thy days but many times, has that hand decrease but a little in His favor, may be long upon the earth." written upon your conscience the whom we have long professed to

to the Lord." The lather and the river from its course, the enemy His law! or leave off our pleasure on, the mother and the daughter, entered Babylon. The banquet in order to do His? bould be associates in the home. hall became a slaughter pen; the The home is the norm of all our festal room a charnel-house. The In subline muselfishness, we tain moral fabric. Here we must learn kingdom was finished; certain would be more like thee! Herod's senciation; here we must be judgment against sin speedily exe kingdom may have had no place for chooled in the principles of sociol- cuted. God's judgment upon your thee, but we gladly provide the Those principles which bind sinful life will not miscarry. As a a place-make our hearts thy house child to parent are not different means of safety and blessing became and rest in peace; for the might of mother in making the daintiest of recepfrom those upon which the strength came the source of danger and monarchs could not disturb the lacker in which to keep the fairy gain and prosperity of our nation rests | death, so the opportunities you negt | scoure abode in the affection of ad-'hrist was obedient to His earthly leet, the blessings you despise, the miring generations' issian. Yonder, in the home of life giving words of Christ you reoseph at Nazareth, is a young jeet, shall become the messenger of nan preparing for life's work, condemnation. Eat, drink, be mer From the age of twelve to about ry! Give your souls to feasting thirty 'Jesus increased in wisdom and sinful revelry! As at the feasts Monroe died in St. Joseph recently and stature and in favor with God of some ancient philosophers, so at yours, these are the symbols of

The HIGHER LIFE.

Young men, in your training death. Side by side they stalk for life's work, do not be in a hur- with you in all your pleasures and ev. The training time is never will not down. After a training of some Turn gladly from this Old Testagliteen years, Jesus was able to ment feast to the one in the New countionize the world by His Christ, in His purity of person and The close student makes character, at the head of the table was sold in St. Leans for \$200,000 was papered with a delicate wall paper coareful man of affairs. Christ The disciples, clothed in humble last work. In 1844 J. C. B. Lu-correct with innohes of forget-me-nots, as obedient to God. His Heavenly garb, but beneath their clothing cassold it for \$3,400. Father. He is the only perfect sub-beat the hearts of nobility, and earth. There have been many blood, they are brethren of Christ, don, England, recently, one pata. Blue water, which made the paper stick HEAVIEST RAIN FOR YEARS.

13. To railway. Friday's and Satsagood men in His service; many the King. As the teast progresses strong in endurance, faith, hope hear Him say. "My body broken and charity. Such men and wom for you," "My blood shed for \$280. and charity. Such men and wom | for you," en as Abraham, Moses, David, Dan-lel, Ruth, Mary, Paul, Stephens, light of the cross and the resurred the 26th ultrate Marshail Mn., with a dark green dealin having a very march fully 1,000 feet of fill has Judson, Spurgeon, Frances Will- from They who gather about that aged 73 years. He was the soin of the place we draw tacks begins show been washed out, ranging from 8 ard, and a host of others. But table know no death,

feet to 18. feet in depth, and it is none have come up to the excellen. You sit at the least of sin and a Governor, y of Christ. Whatever may be death, or at the feast of righteons aid, by way of commendation, of ness and life. If at the former, the all the hosts of good men and wom- call comes in love and tenderness n, this also is true: They are but from the Master, "Come unto Me. buman: while it may be affirmed of brist, though He is touched with

"His Name is John " the feeling of our infirmity, yet He Hey, Leonard R. Jenkins, pastor of the

tands as the one beacon light that May we learn the lesson of obedi- whom we may; but when we read to his widow when he is dead. ence to God, our Henvenly Father, books we may make compan ions of whom we will. While on has produced a crowless rooster by on the made some little medical produced a crowless rooster by made some little medical produced as the street people will force you to vicious gossip, but when you re Your attention is directed this turn home you may hold converse morning to two Biblical feasts, one with the world's greatest philosoplace the precipitation was 7 , in stables is a single long lace end falling in the Old Testament, the other in pher if you desire. In your busiwithin the confines of the States of Mons | chess. In fown the rainfall was not spracefully asked of the half. This is drapped | the New. One in feast of sin, respectively will meet land men whose sulting in death; the other a feast wickedness will depress you to the Judge Nations tells us that a small A model called the Trianon is made of righteousness, ending in life borders of pessimism, but in a few The Old Testament feast is that choice books you can meet a com-

> We, of the twentieth century, The Old Testament feast is illus will do well to keep company with trative of sin in its various aspects, the great men of the Old Testa-Its successive steps of degradation ment, noticing their mistakes and are manifested. We know not the their great thoughts and grand suc conversation or songs or jestings eess, and hardly one among them ne side. A white hat is made of white at Belshazzar's feast. They were is capable of making a deeper im draw and finely shirred gauze, and built in their cups, and it is not unlikely pression on our life and character that all of these were characterized thou John the Baptizer. His was

sear the back, to a bunch of small plus by impurity. Drinking, they de- a great work which was quickly and seended to use the vessels that had heroically done. Wolf creek was ten inches higher may be wound in any pretty fashion been consecrated to God and taken. As a preacher, he had four great from the Temple by Nebuchaduez- themes, or as we would say to day. zar-a descration of consecrated he had four big sermons. The vessels. We next see them prais- first was on Repentance; and be ing the gods of silver and gold, of must have had an extraordinary and a new uniform of blue and CAUSE OF FLATFOOTEDNESS Some of the spring walking hats will wood and iron, and stone and brass. sermon on this most important sub-The approaches to the county be trimmed with foulard handkerchiefs, the fartherest removed from the ject, for St. Mark tells us that he ors will be an indication of the steel bridge at the Rickus ford on which show Japanese like centers and true God. So sin manifests itself had all Juden and Jerusalem "conin all ages. Impurity of speech, fessing their sins." His second cases the stripes will be used to one of the greatest evils to-day, theme was Baptism, and so strong show that the offender is in disamong those who are in sinful lives. Ity did he present the subject that grace in the institution-The center pier of the steel bridge of mwny shades of yellow and some um. They put to ignoble uses those vest the multitudes that came out to sels that properly belong to God. hear him were baptized of him is washed away and the bridge millinery. There is a good deal of pale The tongue, instead of praising the His baptism was symbolical of the green used, especially in flowers. Some its Creator, given over to blas- baptism of the Spirit which Christ phemy; bodies, into which He would send. His third theme was breathed the breath of life, given Works. He said, "Bring forth over to appetite and passion; the fruits worthy of repentance," or mind, searching after many things, show the genuineness of your rebut neglecting God; the affections pentance by your good works dissipated on that which is contrary That kind of preaching is good for us to day. His fourth and great That false security in which sin est theme was the Divinity of Jesus ever shields itself is also illustrated. He said, "The law was given by South Dakota, died recently from mal weight the feet have to sustain. What mattered it to the king and Moses, but grace and truth came wenry years ago, is entirely down, a paste. Next add one and one-half this lords if the armies of the enemy by Jesus Christ." And again how she accused Mrs. Sherman Dye of quire pienty of line to make them firm There was a break in the iron Mountain lake and the water flowed half teaspoonful of salt, one-half teaspoonful of salt, one-h ont in large quantities, helping to spoonful of temon fuice, a few drops in the field had already sought safe- words, "Behold the Lamb of God develops that Miss Nelson mailed the physician who says it does not stop of onion juice teither onion extract or ty in another city? About Baby which taketh away the sin of the berself the poisoned candy and only to explain rickets. What used to be

let it stew a few minutes), three cups ers enclosing the palace. This city John was the last of the old proph is provisioned against a siege and ets, and in him the mighty line had the river running through the city a grand climax. When drunken and by the palace enclosure gives Herod's fatal promise removed his promise of abundant water. Back head from the prison and left his Green tomatoes, cut in haives, rolled to the feast and revelry; we are brave spirit free to depart from in the neighborhood of \$6,000 to in flour, and fried in drippings, are repair the damage done to bridges, delicious for breakfast. After the to-delicious for breakfast. After the to-all times. Many walls surround magnificent line of heroes who had matoes are fried pour all but a very all times. Many walls surround magnificent line of heroes who had the citadel of sin, and even though been the mouth piece of Jehovah died at Monroe, Mich., left \$10,000 Court will be held to-day to take add a dessertspoonful of butter, and enemies approach, imagined securiadd slowly half of three-quarters of a ty continues the revel. There is the others had begun John had cupful of rich milk. Pour this sauce the wall of secrecy-none will ever completed. The others had said form—after a little while I will said, He ishere—"Behold the Lamb but several received serious injur-"If it exists in form serious enough to over the tomatoes. Brotled ham ac- know. There is the wall of re- that the Messiah would come; he leave off from these things and set- of God!"

time enough to consider it and pre- with a prophet's eye, saw in Jesus Scott county during the night, and rest of us, we ought not to care whether penalty of sin is far in the future; "the light cometh soon," so John. the light and glory of the nations much damage was done at Benton we are flatfooted or not, for there is less Even in sin's imagined security and bade the world be ready. Or and Oran

again, as a man sees the promise of a day of rareat sunshine in the first touches of gold upon the highest trees and hills, so John saw in Him forces are at work that proclaim upon whom the Spirit decended as t. Bullard, pastor First Baptist speedy judgment. While Belshaz: a dove, the fountain of grace and zer and his lords reveled, a hand truth. He, the last of the prophets, Some practical lessons drawn wrote in mysterious characters on was "more than a prophet." rom the silent years of the life of the wall a message that sobered John's opinion of himself shows Christ: In the last verse of the through fear the most middled the real greatness of the man. His second chapter of Luke's tinspel we mind. Accustomed helps failing, power as a preacher was so great have the only elue to the way in Daniel is called and reads the judge that he did not have to go to the which these years were spent, ment against the king and his king- city to seek a congregation, but "all the land of Juden and they of and stature and in favor with God writing His judgment against sin. Jerusalem" went out into the wild Children, obey your parents in all judgment against size.

That night, having diverted the old approach or order not to break

Immortal Son of the Judean hills

GENERAL NEWS

who was supposed to be 125 years

The Lowa State Senate has voted \$125,000 for the establishment of grainer. The canvas with which it was a hospital for drankards, to be location received a scrubbing with soap eated at Knowythe. The corner of 10th and Locust

to sold for \$55, another sold for perfectly. This work was not hurried

Sou. Six of a new variety sold the whole thing set away in the attle

ence, Italy. He is to have his portrait printed by a St. Louis artist ering a pasteboard box with pare blue named tielli Fox

norms the world to purity of body. When we associate with living kins University for \$5,000, readyand and soul. He is Divine, men we must make companions of ing \$500 in cash, and the rest to go other one we make a long pin cushion A Scattle poultry raiser thinks he bon like the tray

> dottes. He has two full grown posters that have never crowed There is a chicken law in Carth best houses and best little woof jackets, age, but is not strictly enforced. The other receptacle, in which we

his foster parents, W. H. Ventes side, which simulates leather as well as and wife, near Warrenton, Mo., saper can last as it was when bought last August, has been caught in A long suchet of pale blue cheese-cloth

There a number of women who are ministers of churches in the United States, but there is only one in England, and she has just been ordained a minister of the Unita-Pritzold.

In the Illinois penitentiary striped clothing is to be abolished brown to be provided. The colclass of the convict. In extreme

A deed to the land on which Car rollton, Mo., stands has been discovered hidden in an old picture frame belonging to Mrs. Sophin matfooted from lifting heavy weights, ac-Mattern of Brooklyn, N. Y. The cording to the opinion of Dr. Sargent, of land was granted to one of her an- Harvard. Children are likely to be afe-stors by President Monroe in 1819 flicted in this way when they wear spring and suit will be instituted to recoy- beels, for the bones of the instep, in the er the land, which is estimated to be worth \$1,000,000.

poisoned candy, and before she died intended taking enough to make called rheumatism of the feet now turns herself ill, so she could accuse Mrs. out to be datfootedness. Persons who go Dye of the crime and thereby induce her husband to secure a divorce so that she could marry

Higginsville, Lafayette county, ult., accompanied by terrible that 2,000 panes of glass were bro- cants for membership in the Massachuken. No body was killed outright, setts militia, Dr. Blood, of Boston, said: ies. A number of horses were interfere with walking, of course, it killed by the heavy hail. Several bars him from enlistment." That is not rubbed with flour instead of lard, the upon remoteness of judgment—the contents may be easily removed from nearby towns were in the path of the ment a state's militia ought to possessit storm. The same storm reached is that of being able to walk. As for the

Fifty Years the Standard

improves the flavor and adds to the healthfulness of the food.

FOR WEE BABE'S CLOTHES.

Dainty Receptacle for Them May Be Made at Home and at Small Expense.

The writer recently assisted a young ments of the little baby. Of course the bother hampers are very desirable, but they are also very expensive. More than I this, such a hamper is not of much use why we light to think of something else

says a New York Herald contributor down-tair- from the attic and thorough and water. When this had dried the en At a sale of seed potation in Lon- their and water paste we added a little

a Governor and abor the brother of pins but very large brass heads. The the other we drave tacks having short Mark Twain and his family are bound a pair of ornamenta; brass mented in a benutiful villa in Flor. The man with the musical heart bottom of the tray, and this was scented has sold his heart to the John Hop-ley, Laiver it, for \$5,000 reads, some orris and violet which is a deltrate and delictous perfume. At the also scented and tied in place with rib

Outraged citizens, who have laid placed all the best things, including their strawberry beds and flower buby's best bonnet, we made from the gardens ruined, declare they will shirt waist lox. These boxes are sold shoot all chickens found in their at the large shops at a reasonable price they are very stont. This we lined with W. E. Church, who murdered the same pretty paper, but left the out-Philadelphia. He had culisted in of the quality keeps the contents of this the Navy and was going to Manila box delicately scented. These sachets rian church. Her name is Miss Voti basket are legicall the little articles that oliet, and nearly every day we think of

some new thing to add to the collection

Children Likely to Become Afflicted in This Way Through Wearing Spring Heels.

Flatfootedness may or may not be in at last brought out some very interesting case of young people, depend for keeping their place upon adequate support of the heel. Fat children find themselves be-Miss Renn Nelson of Pierre, coming flatfooted because of the abnorit flatfooted, for the bones of the foot reget the trouble, so we are led to believe that if we wear shoes at all we are apt to become as the big policeman or the mythical Chicago girl.

If one doctor's story is believed only Higginsville, Lafayette county, old people get flatfootedness after the was struck by a cyclone on the 21st, hones begin to disintegrate, so to speak, and let down the high arch of beauty in